## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

| United States of America, |   |                               |
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| Plaintiff,                |   | Criminal No. 23-CR-20434      |
| V.                        |   |                               |
|                           |   | Honorable Laurie J. Michelson |
| Andrew Nickels,           |   |                               |
| Defendant.                |   |                               |
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## GOVERNMENT'S MOTION, SUPPORTING BRIEF AND ORDER TO UNSEAL INDICTMENT

The United States of America hereby moves for an order unsealing the Indictment in this case, and states:

- 1. The Indictment in this case charges the Defendant with one or more federal crimes.
- 2. Rule 6(e)(4) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, which authorizes this Court to seal indictments, implicitly authorizes this Court to unseal indictments.
- The government requests that the Indictment be unsealed because defendant has been arrested and is entitled to receive a copy of the Indictment.

WHEREFORE, the government requests this Court to issue an order unsealing the Indictment.

Respectfully submitted,

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/David R. GrandDavid R. GrandUnited States Magistrate Judge

Entered: 8/11/23